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Jeff Honeycutt 8409 W Pocatello Creek Road Pocatello ID 83201

Mr. Honeycutt:

I was asked by Bob Zauch, Watermaster of Water District 29A to contact you about your sump pond on Pocatello Creek and Claim to a Water Right #29-00443B.

It has been the policy of the Department to recognize that the holder of a valid natural flow right can store no more than one days flow.

Your claim #29-00443B states 0.02 cfs. This flow would produce 0.04 acre feet over one day. This would be approximately a sump pond of 1742 sq feet. In practical terms this would be a pond behind your pump of 20' x 30' x 3' deep. This is good only for the irrigation season.

I hope this clarifies the situation for the concerned parties.

Sincerely,

Harold W Jones

Water Right Supervisor

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